

*A Resolution Concerning the University of Utah's Statement Regarding UPD*

Whereas, the Salt Lake Tribune reported on September 21, 2019, that the University of Utah filed a motion to dismiss all charges against the University of Utah because "officers had no obligation to protect McCluskey from her attacker," and

Whereas, students who reside on the campus of the University of Utah cannot access services from the Salt Lake City Police Department due to the campus falling under the University Police Department's jurisdiction, and

Whereas, given the open campus location of the University of Utah and the increase in technology-facilitated violence and sexual violence, many of the threats students face often involve parties who are not current students at the University of Utah, and

Be it resolved that the Associated Students of the University of Utah are disappointed by the language used in the University's motion to dismiss all charges.

Be it further resolved that the Associated Students of the University of Utah are concerned that the University of Utah has expressed that the University Police Department has no responsibility to protect students on campus when the threats involve parties who are not current students at the University of Utah.

Be it further resolved that the Associated Students of the University of Utah are opposed to statements made by the University of Utah that have been widely interpreted as victim-blaming as part of this lawsuit.